SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. ____

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Mike Frazier on receiving a National Educators Award from the Milken Family Foundation.

Whereas, Mr. Mike Frazier has been a devoted publications teacher at Hanover Central Junior-Senior High School for the last 21 years;

Whereas, during his tenure at Hanover, Mr. Frazier has developed an innovative teaching style which has proved successful for both him and his students;

Whereas, Mr. Frazier has moved away from the traditional classroom lecture and has implemented a more hands-on educational experience for his students;

Whereas, as an advisor to the Hanover yearbook and newspaper staffs, Mr. Frazier works one-on-one with the students to help steer them into making good choices by teaching them to look at all options;

Whereas, Mr. Frazier and his student staff have broken new ground by becoming one of the first schools in Indiana to publish their school newspaper, The Cyber Cat, exclusively online;



Whereas, in recognition of Mr. Frazier's dedication to the teaching profession, Hanover's principal, Joseph Fetty, nominated him for the Milken Family Foundation's National Educators Award;

Whereas, as a recipient of the National Educators Award, Mr. Frazier participated in a national conference where educators from around the country gathered to discuss methods for attracting and retaining qualified individuals for the teaching profession;

Whereas, the experience gained at this national conference will prove useful as Mr. Frazier continues to be a resource for designated leaders in the state of Indiana charged with addressing this issue on a state level;

Whereas, in addition to the Milken Family Foundation's recognition of his contributions to the teaching profession, Mr. Frazier has also been named a distinguished adviser by the Journalism Education Association, has received an award from the Inland Steel-Ryerson Foundation, and has been inducted into the National Scholastic Press Association Hall of Fame: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

| 1 | SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly commends Mike |
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| 2 | Frazier for his dedication to the teaching profession and honors him on |
| 3 | his receipt of a National Educators Award from the Milken Family |
| 4 | Foundation. |

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Mike Frazier and to Joseph Fetty, Principal of Hanover Central Junior-Senior High School.



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